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DETAILED ACTION

The following details must be completed in order to proceed with the prosecution of the application:

- A new consent/3.73(b) is required. In 2008 the patent was reassigned and the new consent/3.73(b) needs to reflect the reassignment.
- The Declaration flied May 28, 2009 has "is attached hereto" box regarding the specification. This is false. Appropriate correction is required.
- iii. The MPEP states that the person making the oath or declaration has reviewed and understands the contents of the application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to in the oath or declaration. The reviewed and understand clause is incomplete, since there are no amendments "as referred to above."

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Vicky A. Johnson whose telephone number is (571) 272-7106. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday (7:00a-3:30p).

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Richard Ridley can be reached on (571) 272-6917. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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